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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
LOCAL ADMINISTRATION SECRETARIAT

(G.O. Ms. No. 38/LAS./2021, Puducherry, dated 17th September 2021)

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (1) of sub-section (2) of section 38 of the Puducherry Village and Commune Panchayats Act, 1973 (No. 10 of 1973) and of all other powers enabling her in this behalf the Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry, is pleased to make the following Amendments to the Puducherry Village and Commune Panchayats (Conduct of Election of Members of Commune Panchayat Councils and Presidents and Members of Village Panchayats) Rules, 1978, notified *vide* G.O. Ms. No. 310, dated 11th December, 1978 of the Local Administration Department, Government of Puducherry namely:—

1. *Short title, extent and commencement.*—(1) These rules may be called the Puducherry Village and Commune Panchayats (Conduct of Election of Members of Commune Panchayat Councils and Presidents and Members of Village Panchayats) [Amendment] Rules, 2021.

(2) They shall extend to the whole of the Union territory of Puducherry.

(3) They shall come into force with immediate effect.

2. *Amendment of rule 28A.*— In the Puducherry Village and Commune Panchayats (Conduct of Election of Members of Commune Panchayat Councils and Presidents and Members of Village Panchayats) Rules, 1978, (hereinafter referred to as "the said rules") in the existing rule 28A, for the sub-clauses (i) to (iii), the following shall be substituted, namely:—

- "(i) service voters;
- (ii) voters on election duty;
- (iii) electors subjected to preventive detention;
- (iv) senior citizens above the age of 80 years - *see* Form 13-E;
- (v) persons with disability - *see* Form 13-E; and
- (vi) COVID-19 affected persons as identified before 15 days of poll - *see* Form 13-E."

3. *Insertion of new Form.*— In the said rule 28A, a new Form 13-E shall be inserted after Form 13-D, namely:—

"FORM – 13-E

[*See* rule 28A (iv), (v) and (vi)]

To

The Assistant Returning Officer,
Village and Commune Panchayat Election, 20.....,
..... (Address of ARO)

Sir,

I, son/daughter/wife of resident of Village District (State) belong to the senior citizen above the age of 80 years/person with disability/COVID-19 affected and identified wish to cast my vote by post at the election to the Village and Commune Panchayat, but, am not in a position to go to the Polling Station. My name is entered at serial number of the Electoral Roll. It is requested that the postal ballot paper may be issued to me for the above election.

My complete present postal address is as under:—

Name :
House No. :
Street :
Village :
District :
State :
PIN Code :
Mobile/Phone No. :

Yours faithfully,

(Signature and Full Name)"

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

GIDDI BALARAM,

Under Secretary to Government
(Local Administration).